



# Building a Blue Allston

Urban Low Impact Development  
Workshop and Community Forum



3 - 8 pm Monday,  
October 16, 2006  
North Allston, MA  
at the Honan-Allston Library

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The Public Forum will feature the new work that CRWA has been doing in North Allston as a part of its Blue Cities Initiative.

We will show ways in which the North Allston neighborhood can be a model for planning, water, green space and infrastructure redevelopment for urban environmental restoration within and outside Harvard University's new campus.

To learn about CRWA or its Environmentally Sensitive Urban Development project, visit [www.charlesriver.org](http://www.charlesriver.org)



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Allston MA 02134

### WORKSHOP AGENDA

- 3:00 – 3:10 Welcome  
Robert Zimmerman, Jr., Executive Director, CRWA
- Session 1: Urban Low Impact Development (LID)**
- 3:10 – 3:30 Using a Watershed Approach for Applying LID Techniques  
Eileen Pannetier, Comprehensive Environmental Engineering, Inc.
- 3:30 – 3:50 Creating LID-Friendly Communities through Regulation, Evaluation, and Collaboration  
Tim Reardon, Regional Planner, Metropolitan Area Planning Council
- 3:50 – 4:10 Low Impact Development in the City of Boston  
Brian Glascock, Director Environment Department, City of Boston
- 4:10 – 4:35 Olmsted Green- A Case Study in Permitting and Design of LID  
Bethany Eisenberg, Project Manager and Stormwater Specialist, VHB, Inc.
- 4:35 – 4:50 Break
- 4:50 – 5:15 Applying the Urban Environmental Design Manual & Urban LID Case Studies  
Rich Claytor, Senior Planner and Project Manager, Horsley Witten Group, Inc.
- 5:15 – 5:40 LID in Practice: One Community's Story – Green Alleyways and UMCG Pilot Project  
Maggie Super Church, Executive Director, Groundwork Lawrence
- 5:40 – 6:00 Panel Discussion / Q&A
- 6:00 – 6:20 Break for Refreshments
- Session 2: Building a Blue Allston: A Community Forum**
- 6:20 – 6:40 Environmentally Sensitive Urban Development  
Kate Bowditch, Director of Projects and Senior Environmental Scientist, CRWA
- 6:40 – 7:00 Building a Blue Allston- Urban and Landscape Design Approach to Restoration  
Pallavi Kalia Mande, Urban Restoration Specialist, CRWA
- 7:00 – 7:20 Building a Blue Allston- Green Infrastructure and Stormwater Management Practices  
Stephanie Hurley, Landscape Designer, CRWA
- 7:20 – 7:30 Allston Brighton Greenspace Connections  
Charlie Tracy, National Park Service and Heather Knopsnyder, Greenspace Advocates ABCDC
- 7:30 – 7:50 Q&A / Next Steps



### REGISTRATION

The workshop is free of charge; however, seating is limited, so please RSVP as soon as possible to reserve your spot. Also please indicate if you will be attending both sessions or only one:

- ☐ Session 1 – Urban Low Impact Development
- ☐ Session 2 – Building a Blue Allston

### REGISTRATION FORM

Online registration is also available at  
[www.charlesriver.org](http://www.charlesriver.org)

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